



US DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

## **BLAST INJURY RESEARCH PROGRAM COORDINATING OFFICE**

### **Protective Equipment**

#### **Palletized Load System A1 Underbody Protection Kit**

Building on the success of the HEMTTA4 Underbody Protection Kit and the similarities of the HEMTT4 and Palletized Load System cabs, automotive testing was conducted by PdM HTV to prove out the HEMTT Underbody Protection Kit on the Palletized Load System cabs. Testing began early FY15 and has been successful. Transportability lift testing is scheduled to be completed in early FY16. The successful completion of testing will ensure that Palletized Load System cabs adequately protect Service Members at an MRAP-level of protection.